Previous references.

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Later references.

File No. 7803-d

Serial Nos. ~~30335~~ 9,15+16

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. ~~30335~~ 9,15+16

Part B.A. or July 1904

SUBJECT.

Pupil Hospital Assistants.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE,
(REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS).

(Full Office Note.)

Subject.

Training of Pupil Hospital Apptts at the Medical School, Madras.

Off g Senior Surgeon's letter No 916 dated the 11th July, 1903.

Note.

Heretofore Pupil Hospital Apprentices used to be trained for one year in one of the Hospitals and Dispensaries at Head Qrs, and thereafter they were sent to the Medical College, Madras, to undergo a further training of three years there. Their course of training, both pre-collegiate and collegiate extended to 4 years. The medical authorities at Madras used to recognise the pre-collegiate training for a year given to these Pupils in the State. It appears from the letter of the 4th September, 1903, from the Principal of the Medical College, Madras, that the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, has, in anticipation

Paper with slip C in the L.F. No 55 of 1895 put up.

‡ 1. No. and date of latest letter or paper.
2. Catch words to show nature of subject.
3. Subject to be in red and body of note in black ink.

* 1. Statement of case in narrative form in regular sequence of subject matter or date.
2. Opinions to be stated only as supported by precedents, or general rules, which should always be quoted.
3. Serial numbers in file, &c., to be always stated.
4. Dates of important documents referred should be given.
5. Written both sides, leaving the same side as margin.

of the sanction of the Madras Govt authorized the introduction of the extension of the Course of training for Hospital Apptc to 4 years with effect from the Commencement of the Current session, i.e., 1st July, 1903, and that the Hospital Assistant Deptt has been detached from the College, the Septt, Rayapuram Med. School, Madras, being the Officer Connected therewith.

Mysore Medical students, 12 in number, have addressed a petition under date 7th July, 1903, to the Offg Senior Surgeon, representing that on joining the Medical School, they were told by the Professors thereof that their pre-collegiate course of training they had undergone in Mysore would not be recognized and that they should undergo 4 years' training in the Medical School only, and requesting that as the change made is a hardship to them, a repee might be made to Govt in their behalf so as to have their pre-collegiate Course recognized and their Course in the Medical School limited to 3 years as heretofore.

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The Offg Senior Surgeon is strongly supporting the prayer of these Medical students requests that the Govt of Madras may be moved to modify its rules educational rules, so as to enable these students, who commenced their studies under the old rules, to complete their Course in Madras in 3 years from date of entering the School there.

Submitted with draft to the F. A. to the Resident.

9/9/03

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The Dewan through the Second Councillor.

Yes - This is hard lines - & perhaps means an additional cost to Govt which have to pay these 12 students scholarships for 1 year instead of 4 - The representation proposed may be made -

17/9/03

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18.9.03.

Note Centre The draft to the F. A. to the Resident was issued on the 23rd September, 1903. In reply

4 reply the F.A. to the Resident, with his endorsement No 315 dated the 21st Jany, 1904, has forwarded a copy of letter No 13 of the 8th January, 1904 from the Govt of Madras stating that the pupils who joined the Medical School at Madras in July 1903 after a year's precollegiate Course in Mysore have been allowed to take the 3 years Curriculum as in former years, and that in the case of future students the Governor in Council has not been pleased to allow as requested the pupils of the Durbar to take their 1st year's Course in one of the Hospitals of the State as heretofore.

Subd with draft.

27/1/04

28/1/04

Note Contd. The above orders of the Madras Govt were Communicated to the Senior Surgeon and the Comptroller in Govt Proc No 3861-2 dated the 6th February, 1904.

With prefce to the Councillor's note on the margin of the above draft order of the 6th Febry, 1904, the Senior Surgeon was, in this Office docket No C 4518 dated the 12th March, 1904, requested to report the number of scholarship students, if any, undergoing training in the Sd Dr Hospitals and Dispensaries, the Cert on their accounts &c. The Senior Surgeon has not yet replied to this prefce.

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In his present letter No 535 dated the 3rd May, 1904, the Offg Senior Surgeon states that a new rule has just been issued by the Director of Public Instruction in Madras, requiring that the Medical Pupils who are going to study for the exn of Hospital Apptts should be Matriculates, but that this rule has been relaxed in the case of Burma Pupils, and requests that a reference may be made to the Govt of Madras asking for a relaxation of the new rule in the case of the Mysore Pupils also.

2 The Offg Senior Surgeon thinks that the standard fixed, viz the Matriculation exn, is too high for Hospital Apptt Pupils. He adds "we don't want to make Physicians and Surgeons, but Hospital Apptts" Moreover, if the Matriculation standard is insisted on, the liberal intentions of the Govt of Mysore to include men of all Classes amongst such pupils will be frustrated, for very few except Brahmins will be found Matriculated amongst the Candidates. It is with difficulty I can get Mahomedans who have passed

passed even the Lower Secondary
Test." He requests early steps
being taken in the matter, as
selection of Candidates will have
to be made in a few weeks.

Submitted for orders as to
whether the Maidan Govt may
7/5/04 be addressed on the subject through
the Residency.

JB
7/5/04

Please put up a draft to the Residency
11 8/5/04

Draft sent.

JB
11/5/04

Add to the Dewan
with a draft to the Residency
As the 1st Cr is absent
from the ~~Here~~ station
the draft which is urgent,
is sent to the Dewan direct
11 19/5/04

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I am not prepared
to take action until
I receive the Resident's
Even then my present
inclination is not to
recommend any exception
to the rule of keeping more
than — such general
concession is not necessary
Pol. Dept. Cor is a very decent
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Add to the 1st Cr 11
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H.S.
If the rule has been published in the Fort St. George Please put up a copy before Govt urgent get it at once from the Peons Branch. JB
Gazettes dated 29th March 1904 were sent and the new rule is now in force.
JB
7/5

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I agree with the Dewan's observations as to the undesirability of our expressing an opinion in the matter. I hope we are not going to have Burma as a Province. The Education Code seems to be low enough standard of general education for Hospital Assistants - The new Rule referred to [illegible] and I do not exactly know what its terms are - does not the difficulty represented exist in Myson, Coorg also in Madras? The question must have been carefully considered before the Rule under discussion was passed - I do not think we need ask for any exceptional treatment either generally or in the case of any particular community. If any part of my proposal must the difficulty is demonstrated beyond a doubt - by candidates with the necessary qualification not coming forward in response to notifications in the Gazette -

C.

Please put up a draft reply to the Surgeon in accordance with the opinions of the Dewan & the I/C. I shall submit it to the Dewan

26/5/04

S.L.

Draft put up

28/5/04

A draft reply to the Senr Surgeon is put up in accordance with the views of the Dewan which are concurred in by the 1st (Ag.).

The Senior Surgeon has however sent me a D.O.[x] (read today) in which he points out the difficulty of getting passed men. It would appear that among the men who have applied there is only one Matriculate, and that the only female applicant has passed only the Lower Secondary Examination.

If it is now considered desirable to apply to the Madras Govt, the draft (typed) originally submitted by the Officer may perhaps be considered.

Submitted to the Dewan

Chandrasekhara Rao

31/5/04

[x] attached

Subject to the Dewan's approval a Memorial should be addressed to the Madras Govt. in the matter.

4/6/04

1908

We could not entertain the request to be relaxed in the case of women candidates as I said in the case of Mohammedans & Hindus also for the present there are very few females who can pass the matriculation examination. I hope in the course of a few years - perhaps sooner - the number will increase & then it will be necessary to consider whether the rule should be relaxed.

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Recd 31/1/-

Bangalore

20.5.7

Sir,

I am directed by the Madras Govt. to plead their order as to the matriculation test for the training of the hospital assistants at the Medical school Madras. I have had a return of applicants sent in today — there is only one male candidate among them who has passed the matriculation test.

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is passed we shall have
practically only Broadmin,
the Year. Suppose the
Senate Committee should
see cause to hasten a
female Suffrage amendment
this Year, I have upon
application shewn pencil
and the Lord Secondary —
to the matter Standard
is a Record to shew as
after pursuing two

Whether
we adopt a
different principle

I don't see why the
business Govt Cannot
get Examination Fees
Commuted. I can all
keep well for Madras
Bombay there rules
with Chief Secretary,
members Select
Com — we have no
such members — Revenue
I don't if Madras Govt
will Chetty allow
Temples accountants
are Hindus or not

are
no
can
allowed

Thomas Hyam's
argument that Each class
of the people
should be included. I
do hope orders will
be dispatched on the
subject — the Selection here
Thursday & 15th Rose —

Believe me

Yours

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

Send draft as revised

AH
4/6/04

In this Office letter No 6174 dated the 7th June, 1904, the F.A. to the Resident was requested to obtain for the Durbar from the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, info as to the circumstances under which the rule that Pupil Hospital Apptts cannot be held should be matriculate has been passed.

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The Secretary told me that the other day I subsequent to my note of the 26th May last, there was some correspondence between himself & Dr Smyth which he had submitted to the Dewan before whom the ~~Dewan~~ file was pending but I did not know that the Dewan had dealt with the question in an order of 1/6/04 and that a reference in accordance therewith had been sent to the Asst Resident on the 7th idem

Col Smyth saw me on another occasion on the 15th instant and in the course of our conversation, spoke to me about these scholarships I told him that having female candidates who are in great request and ~~[illegible]~~ whose ~~[illegible]~~, a concession might be asked for, I saw

no reason why we should
go up to Madras with
a plea that we were a
backward Province. Similar
to Burma - I understood
that he did not quite
differ from [illegible] - at my
request he sent me his
D.O. of the 22nd Feb.
which shows that notwithstanding the non-publication of
a notice in the Gazette (this
should be done in future)
there have been among
the applicants [illegible] 9
matriculates of whom
6 are Brahmins, 2
Mahomedans & 1 Native
Christian - I do not see
why these should not be
preferred to the other 47
applicants with superior
qualifications & seniority to
Madras in one time with
the usual scholarship
It is no doubt a matter for
regret that no Mahomedan
matriculate has come
forward, but I think it is
not quite a complement to that
community that it cannot
compete with other classes
even in the matter of
appointments & scholarships
open to Matriculates - Female -

Hospital Apparatus are an absolute necessity in Mysore. The Lower Secondary Schools a few of them (the better). In the present state of Female Education female Matriculates-ables - candidates cannot be expected to be readily forthcoming. In the case of female candidates therefore, the reduction of the qualification from Matriculation to Lower Secondary may not unreasonably be asked for. There is one such candidate this year & permission to her to appear may at once be applied for, the latest date for admission being the 7th proximo according to Smyth's Do.

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Farewell's
Scholarship
Scholarship
as suggested in
the case of the female
student who has
appeared with a
Lower qualification.

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21.6.1904

19.VI.04

without waiting for a reply to our letter of the Resident dated the 7th August I moved immediately in the action indicated above

17/6/04

18431/18.6.04

Drafted
Yes
316

To Dewan for favor of keeping early appl. C.

17/6/04

OFFICE OF SENIOR SURGEON,
AND SANITARY COMMISSIONER
WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

D. O.

Bangalore, 30-6-1896
1902

Enclosure
Ltr Supt Bln
Enclosure at page
the selected candidate
is Miss Mackendry
now working as Compounder
in the Medical Charge
Bangalore

The Chief Secretary
wants to know
from Mysore
(Thro Asst Secretary
Dept of Samiah) the
name of the living
female candidate
for the Hospl Asstt
Grade -

Code Class. P.

INDIAN TELEGRAPHS.

Monthly Number. 24

To (Office) Rajamundry

From (Office) Nilgiris

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From (Person) Vincent Pereira

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P. O.

Recd. from LN. Sent to

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RAJAMAHENDRAVARAM 29 JU

Telegraph Master.

* In foreign telegrams the *Person from*, if telegraphed, should be written after, but seperated from no text.

Note Contd.

In accordance with the orders on page 13 of this note, the First Apptt to the Resident was, in this Office letter No 6407 dated the 22nd June 1904, requested to obtain the sanction of the Madras Govt for the admission into the Medical School at Madras, of the only female Candidate who had applied for the Pupil Hospital Apptts scholarships and who had passed the Lower Secondary Exn. In reply, the F.A. to the Resident wanted to know the name of the female Candidate referred to. The info was furnished in this Office letter No 8 dated the 30th June 1904.

Letter No 24 C dated the 29th June, 1904

With his memo No 3222 dated the 8th July 1904, the F.A. to the Resident has forwarded Copy of a telegram from dated the 6th idem from the Govt of Madras, according sanction for the admission of the Candidate as applied for by this Office. Subd with draft sending copy of the telegram to the Senior Surgeon.

S.M. 9/7/04
11/7/04

General and Revenue Secretariat.

File No. 7 of 1903-04

Serial No.	
2	Letter to the Senior Surgeon, No 287 dated the 15th July 1904. Forwards Copy of telegram from the Govt of Madras, sanctioning admission of female Candidate Miss Mackendry into the Medical School, Madras.
3	Endorsement No 3197 of the 7th July, 1904, from the F. A. to the Resident in Mysore. Forwards Copy of letter No 4163 dated the 1st July 1904 from the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, stating that the Rule prescribing the Matriculation as the minimum educational test of Candidates for admission to the Hospital Apptt Class is not a new one
	Orders of the Dewan on the above.
	Ask for the exemption of the female and Mahomedan Candidates named by the Senior Surgeon (Dated) P. N. K 11-7-04

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

File No. 7 of 1903-04

Serial No.

Orders of the Secy
To Branch IX
draft accordingly.
(Initd) B.K.C.
16.7.04

Subd

Exemption was obtained in the case of the only female Candidate who had applied this year, Vizt one Miss Mackendry, and the same Communicated to the Senior Surgeon. The names of the Mahomedan applicants, in whose behalf exemption should be asked for, have not been given by the Senior Surgeon. The latest safe date for admission of Candidates into the School is the 1st of July. Now that this date is over, it is respectfully submitted that a reference may be made to the Senior Surgeon on the subject, before writing to the Residency

Draft-subd.

H.C. 16/7

A Dennys
16/7/04

NOTE—Contn. sheet.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

File No. 7 of 1903-04

Serial No.	
4	Letter No 423/2-B dated the 19th July 1904 from the to the Senior Surgeon. Forwards Copies of certain orders of the Madras Govt on the subject of admission of Candidates into the Medical School at Madras and requests him to report the numbers selected and sent to the School for 04-05, and whether there are any among them, requiring to be specially exempted for admission.
5	Letter, (Diary No 631,) No 500 dated the 23d July 1904 from the Senior Surgeon — Furnishes the information called for in the above Submitted. No further action seems called for in this Case. May be filed. 29.7.04 30/7 30/7/04 1.8.1904

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Diary No 299 S

Letter No. 4163, dated 1st July 1904, from the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, to the Resident in Mysore.

In reply to your endorsement No. 2874, dated 14th ultimo, on letter from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments, dated 7th instant, No.G.6174, I have the honour to state that the rule prescribing the Matriculation Examination as the minimum educational test of candidates for admission to the Hospital Assistant class except in the case of Burman students is not a new one. It has been in force from 1893 (Please see G.O's Nos. 267 educational, dated 24th April 1893 and 783 educational dated 24th October 1893-copies enclosed for information) and it was also one of the recommendations of the committee who considered the questions relating to the reorganization of the Medical College and of the training of hospital assistants. In special cases, however, as for instance, the case of Local Fund students, that is, students sent by Local Boards for training for service under them, candidates who have not passed the Matriculation Examination are sometimes admitted with the sanction of Government. Similar sanction is necessary in the case of Muhammadan and female candidates referred to in the letter of the officiating Secretary to the Government of Mysore.

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P. T. O.

C No 4407 7.7.04

The Mysore Resident's Office,

No. 3197
Encl

Bangalore, 7th July 1904.

Copy of the foregoing letter is forwarded for the information of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore with reference to Mr. Anantaswami Rao's letter No. G.6174, dated the 7th June 1904.

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First Assistant Resident.

J.R.

Copy of the memorandum of the female candidates named by the Selection Committee

@ 11.VII.04

To Branch IV
Draft according
16.9.16 & 7.7.1904

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G.O. No.267 Educational dated 24th April 1893.

From the Surgeon-General,Madras,dated 8th April 1893,No.333.
With reference to the Educational Department Notification published on page 141 of the Fort St. George Gazette dated the 7th February 1893 directing that from 1893,candidates for admission to the Hospital Assistant class of the Medical College from places other than the Northern Circars and the Ceded Districts should have passed in the "Compulsory subjects of the Upper Secondary Examination" I have the honour to forward for the information of Government,copy of a letter from the Secretary U.C.S.,Commissioner from which it will be seen that up to date,only 7 men have passed the compulsory portion of the Upper Secondary Examination,and as 45 students will be entertained this year both for the Civil and Military Branch of the Hospital Assistant grade it will be impossible to secure qualified men-especially as candidates from the Norther Circars and the Ceded Districts are always few in number.

Under these circumstances,I request the sanction of Government to revert to the old system of enlisting candidates who have passed the middle school examination until the number of candidates who have qualified under the new rules is sufficiently large to compete for the annual vacancies in the Medical Department.

Favour of early orders is requested.

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Order dated 24th April 1893, No. 267.

The Government is pleased to declare that,for the present, candidates who have passed the Matriculation Examination of the Madras University are eligible for admission to the Hospital Assistant class of the Medical College.

2. The necessary addition will be made to the Public Service Notification which is now under revision with the Director of Public Instruction and the concession should be notified by that officer in the Gazette.

True Extract.
Sd/- F.M.Ashpital
Under Secretary P.W.D. for Chief Secy.

G.O.No.783,Educational,dated 24th October 1893.

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From the Assistant Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Burma, General Department,dated 25th September 1893,No.6395 E-6,

In reply to your letter No.526 dated the 19th July 1893,I am directed to say that the Chief Commissioner would prefer not to raise the standard of Educational qualifications required from Burman candidates for admission to the Hospital Assistant classes at the Madras Medical College. Unfortunately Secondary Education is not so widespread in Burma as in Madras and under the present regulations there are not many applicants for the scholarships granted by this Administration. There were on the last occasion only six applicants for five places

2. It is true that Burma can recruit natives of the Madras Presidency to fill the cadres of its subordinate Medical service,but the object of educating Burmans for the medical profession is not so much to get Hospital Assistants as to popularise English methods of medical relief among the people of the province. This can only be effectively done through natives of the province,and therefore the Chief Commissioner will be glad if the present rules regarding the admission of Burmans to the Hospital Assistant Department of the Medical College are allowed to stand for some years longer.

Order 24th October 1893 No. 783.

Communicated to the Director of Public Instruction with reference to his letter dated 29th June 1893 No. 7215.

2. Under the circumstances no change will at present be made in respect of the admission of Burman students.

True Extract.

Sd/- F.W.Ashpitel,
Under Secretary,P.W.D., for Chief Secy:

C O P I E S.

H. S. Tirumalai aiyangar

Registrar,Resident's Office.

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File No. 7703-04
Serial No. 645
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Diary No. of letter replied to

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General and Revenue Secretariat
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To

The Senior Surgeon and
Sanitary Commr with
the Govt of Mysore

Date of issue 19/7/04

Signed by for B. K. Venkatarama Iyer

Sir,

Flag J.

Referring to the Correspondence ending with your Official letter No 598 dated the 9th June, 1904, on the subject of the ~~recent~~ order of the Madras Govt requiring Pupil Hospl Apptes to have passed the Matriculation Exn, I am directed to forward for your info hereunto Copies of letter No 4163 dated the 1st July 1904 from the Director of Publ Instn

over.

SUBJECT.

Requesting the Senior Surgeon to report the number of Pupil Hospital Apptes selected and sent to the Medical School, Madras, for 04-05, and forwarding Copies of Madras Govt orders about the admission of students into the Medical School

Public Instruction, Madras, and of ~~their~~ its enclosures, stating that the sanction of the Madras Govt is necessary for admission into the Hospital Apptt class of Mahomedan and female Candidates who have not passed the prescribed minimum educational test Viz the Matriculation Exn.

2. Now that the latest date for admission into the Med. School, Viz the 1st July, is over, I am to request ~~the favour of~~ you will be good enough to report (1) how many Candidates were selected and sent to the School this year, and (2) whether there are any, if so how many, Mahomedans (females) among them, who, not having passed the

List of enclosures.

Copied by

Examined by

G.R.S. 27]

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(*Continuation Sheet draft form.*)

the Matriculation exn have to be specially exempted. The names of such Candidates should also be reported ch an Emf date.

I have &c

Sd/-

16.7.1904

Offg Secy

Sd/-

16/7/04

N.C.M. Rng

16/7/04

Sd/-

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Diary No 631 G. 37

No.G. 50 Dated 23rd July 1904

From

Lt. Col. John Smyth M.D.,I.M.S.

Offg. Senior Surgeon and Sanitary Commissioner,

with the Government of H.H.the Maharaja of Mysore,

Bangalore.

To

R. K. Venkatavaradaiengar Esqr.,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of H.H.the Maharaja

of Mysore, General and Revenue Depart-

-ments Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your No.423/L.S. 7-03 dated 18th instant calling for certain information in connection with the selection of candidates for the Hospital Assistants grade, I have the honor to state that:-

(1) Only eight student have been selected this year. Of these, seven have been directed to join the Rayapuram Medical School without delay & the 8th one will be directed to join the school soon after he produces the physical fitness certificate. All the students selected are Matriculates excepting Miss McKendray who has passed the Lower Secondary Examination

As all the applicants among Mahomadens are only Lower Secondary students, no selection has been made in that class.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

M.D.
Lt. Col. I.M.S.
Offg. Senior Surgeon & Sany.Comr.M.S.
A.H.D.

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1904

From Lt. Col: John Smyth
Offg: The Senior Surgeon and
Sanitary Commissioner,
Mysore Government,
Bangalore.

To
B. K. Venkataramadasiengar Esq
Offg: Secretary to Govt:

Dated 23rd July 04

Despatched General Dept

Received

General No. G 50 Bangalore
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Enclosure No. Nil

Furnishing the information
in Connection with the
Selection of Candidates for
for the Hospital Asstts grade